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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Richard Brussel

Title:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PICKING UP A PLASTIC

PRODUCT

Appl. No.:

10/623,708

Filing Date:

07/22/2003

Examiner:

Nicholson III, Leslie August

Art Unit:

3651

Confirmation No.:

4928

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.

[X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	5	-	20	=	0	х	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	1	-	4	=	0	x	\$210.00	=	\$0.00
First p	oresentation (of ar	ny Multiple [Deper	ndent Claims:	+	\$370.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FE	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

[X]	Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for the
	total number of months checked below:

[] Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$120.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$460.00	\$0.00
[X] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,050.00	\$1,050.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,640.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,230.00	\$0.00
EXTENSION	FEE TOTAL:	\$1,050.00
[] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$130.00	\$0.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER	FEE TOTAL:	\$1,050.00
[] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract	ct ½ of above):	\$0.00
Extension Fees Pr	reviously Paid:	\$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:	\$1,050.00

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$1,050.00 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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